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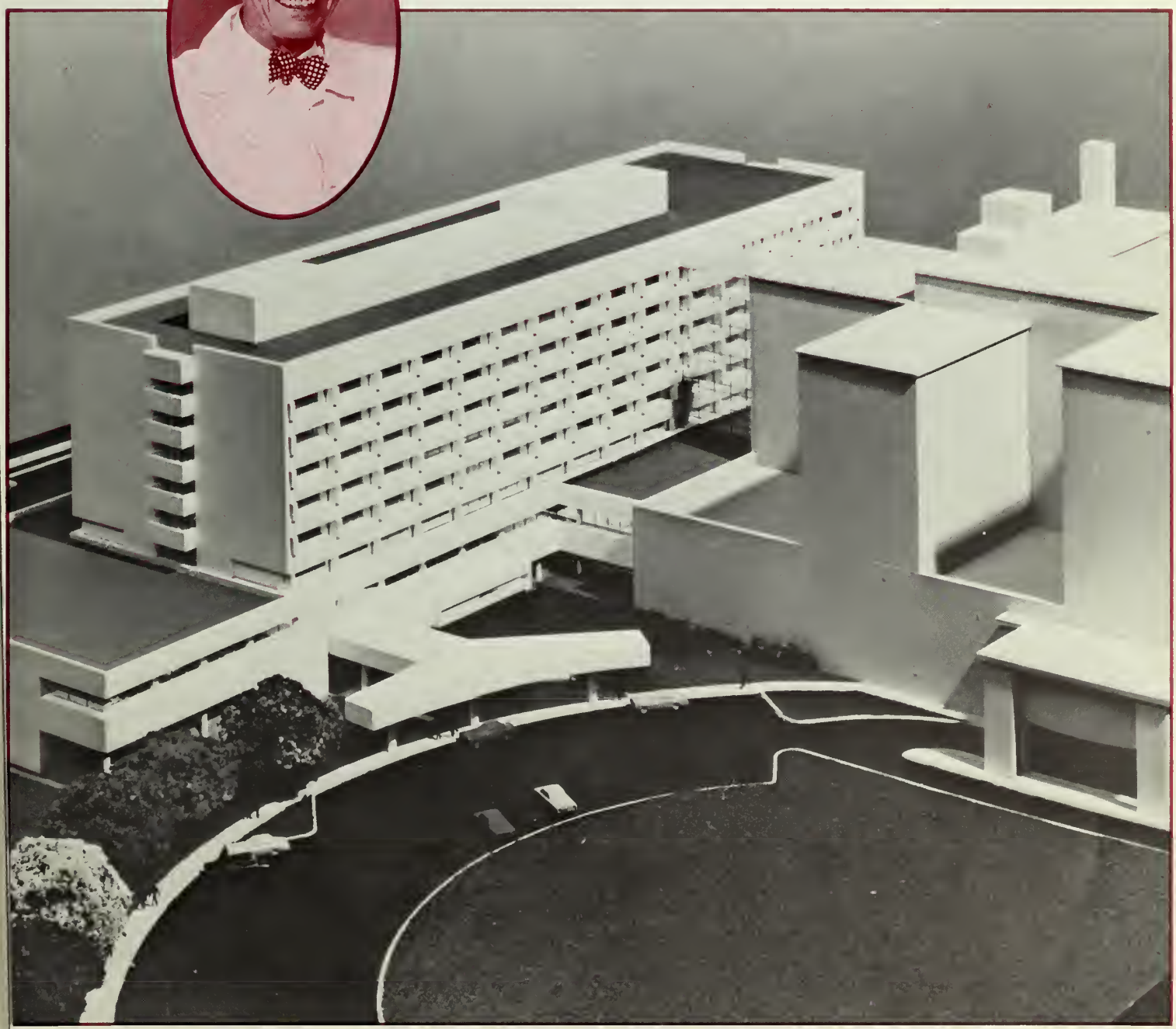

Behind the Lines...

This issue of your quarterly magazine features the naming of three campus buildings in memory of three great former faculty members and an account of the groundbreaking ceremony for the Sydenstricker Wing. These great educators and men of medicine and science are fondly remembered by many alumni who will be pleased to learn that they will now be honored in perpetuity as their names will be as familiar to future alumni as they are to you.

All of us were pleased that Alumni president Robert "Pop" Waller and wife, Hazel and MCGF President Irving Victor and wife, Carolyn and other alumni could be present for the groundbreaking ceremonies. We were delighted that Mrs. W. P. Stevens, Macon, and her attorney Mr. Sidney Williams could be with us.

Recently, Dr. and Mrs. Earl Warren, Glen Rock, N. J. visited in Augusta for several days. Dr. Warren, '25, spoke at the School of Medicine faculty meeting and announced his estate plan included a bequest of approximately $500 thousand to the MCG Foundation. He said "I believe in you and in the future of this great medical school and I am betting on you to the tune of a half million dollars." In his remarks he paid high tribute to Dr. Sydenstricker and to other professors of his day.

Our division staff members congratulate Dr. Raymond C. Bard upon being honored in Boston after a successful year as President of the American Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions. Dr. Bard has also been named as a member of the Georgia Department of Human Resources' Advisory Council on Construction and Licensure. He conceptualized and led out in the establishment of this Division.

Incidentally, the former administrator's residence of the Old University Hospital has been assigned to this Division. When resources are identified, we hope to renovate the building and develop it into an attractive Alumni-Foundation Center.

The MCGF Sesquicentennial Campaign is now in progress on campus for the "MCG Family." I am proud to report that the personnel of our Division are committed with 100 per cent participation and have pledged a worthy amount. The total reports aren't in, so we will give a full statement of this phase of the campaign later.

We look forward to seeing many of you at the alumni dinners in the next few months. We are proud of our loyal alumni and have every confidence that each of you will make a worthy commitment to the campaign to help assure success in our effort to raise $3 million as endowment to advance MCG.

—JCA

On The Cover — Work has begun on the Virgil P. Sydenstricker Wing of the Talmadge Memorial Hospital. An architect's rendering portrays the finished facility and how it will relate to the present hospital. Dr. Sydenstricker's photo is inserted.

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Groundbreaking '73

Ground was broken December 10 for the construction of the Virgil P. Sydenstricker Wing of the Eugene Talmadge Memorial Hospital.

A large crowd of spectators braved wintery winds and freezing temperatures to hear U. S. Senator Herman Talmadge speak and then join with other dignitaries in the historic breaking of ground for the $16.6 million facility.

Participating with the Senator in the groundbreaking were William S. Morris, III, chairman of the Board of Regents of the University System; Dr. William H. Moretz, president of MCG; Dr. George L. Simpson, Jr., chancellor of the University System; Mayor Lewis A. Newman of Augusta and Dr. Curtis H. Carter, dean of the School of Medicine.

Dr. Robert (Pop) Waller, president of the Alumni Association and Dr. Irving Victor, president of the Medical College of Georgia Foundation, Inc., and their wives were present at the groundbreaking and at the dinner and cocktail hour following.

Standing in the shadow of the hospital named for his father, Senator Talmadge expressed pleasure that the new wing would be named for Dr. Sydenstricker.

The senior senator told spectators that he had, while governor, been frustrated time and again by the fact that many brilliant students were unable to gain admission to MCG. He said this feeling was conveyed to the College on many occasions until one day Dr. Sydenstricker called and asked to talk with him. "He told me what was needed to increase enrollment at MCG. Talmadge Hospital was, to some degree, the result of that conversation," the senior senator related.

"Today," he said, "marks another milestone in the march of progress of this hospital and this medical college." When completed, the 240-bed addition will be dedicated to

Some of the groundbreaking participants were (L-R) Dr. Moretz, Senator Talmadge, Regent Roy Harris, Regents Chairman William Morris III and Augusta Mayor Lewis A. Newman. Background (L-R) are Vice President for Finance James Blissit, Dean of Nursing Dorothy White and Dean of Medicine Curtis Carter.

Dr. Curtis Carter takes his turn at groundbreaking. Chancellor George Simpson and Senator Talmadge are in the background.

the "most noble of all causes — the relief of the suffering of humanity," the senator said.

Dr. Moretz said MCG could see in this building "a substantial marker to its own commitment; a commitment that will see the entering classes in our School of Medicine reach 200 by 1976 with a commensurate growth and strengthening in our other four schools as well."

He said the structure "will greatly strengthen our teaching ability and is a most essential component of this College's plans for achieving entering enrollments of 200 medical students per year."

The new wing will be connected to the south side of the Talmadge Hospital which was opened in 1956 as the primary referral and teaching hospital of MCG. It is a 400-bed hospital, at the present, with approximately 400,000 square feet of floor space distributed over nine floors. It is staffed by more than 100 full-time specialists and by more than 1,500 other full-time employees, including 140 interns and residents. The research wing was the first addition to the facility.

The Sydenstricker Wing

April, 1972 – Board of Regents authorizes construction with money approved by General Assembly through bond funds.

–Heery & Heery of Atlanta appointed architects

–George Hyman Construction Co. is contractor

–Construction and equipment cost, $16.6 million

–Construction to begin immediately

–Located on the south side of the Eugene Talmadge Memorial Hospital

–Eight stories in height

–300,000 square feet of floor space

–Approximately three years to construct

–Approximately 240-bed inpatient capacity

–Outpatient services

–Owned by the State of Georgia

–Operated by the Medical College of Georgia

–Primary referral and teaching hospital of MCG

–1st floor general use

–2nd floor, inpatient care and teaching

3rd floor, neurology, neurosurgery

–4th floor, surgery

–5th floor, internal medicine

–6th floor, family practice, internal medicine and surgery

–7th floor, ob-gyn, newborn nursery, labor-delivery

–8th floor, pediatrics

Senior Medical Student Hugh Greenway accepts U. S. Flag flown over Capitol Building. Senator Talmadge presented the flag to the Theta Kappa Psi Fraternity.

Senator Talmadge greets Laurie Liebelt, daughter of Dr. Robert A. Liebelt, provost; Mrs. Annabel Liebelt, MCG faculty and Dr. William E. Lotterhos, chairman of the Department of Family Practice.

Dr. Joseph Bailey, Mrs. Curtis Carter enjoy chatting with Senator Talmadge at Theta House.

"This building that we are to start this afternoon will be a monument not only to the name of our late colleague Dr. Sydenstricker, but also to the vision of our State's leadership in providing the facilities necessary to keep pace with Georgia's health education needs." – William H. Moretz.

Dr. Moretz makes opening remarks at Groundbreaking

Drs. Hamilton, Kelly, Sydenstricker honored

MCG has honored three of its most outstanding former faculty members through the naming of significant campus buildings for them.

Those honored include the late William F. Hamilton, Ph.D.; G. Lombard Kelly, M.D., and Virgil P. Sydenstricker, M.D. The Board of Regents of the University System approved naming the soon to be constructed wing of the Sanders Research and Education Building for Dr. Hamilton, the administration building for former President Kelly and the ETMH Wing for Dr. Sydenstricker.

Previously named buildings on campus include the Carl T. Sanders Research and Education Building, the Louis A. Dugas Building, the Eugene E. Murphey Building and the Eugene Talmadge Memorial Hospital.

William F. Hamilton, Ph.D.

That surgical treatment of heart disease has had so great a success in recent years is due to a large extent to 35 years of research by a Medical College of Georgia physiologist, Dr. William F. Hamilton.

This outstanding scholar and researcher was on the Medical College of Georgia faculty from 1934 until 1960 when he retired as chairman of the Department of Physiology. He was named Professor Emeritus and continued his work for a time at MCG. Dr. Hamilton died December 18, 1964 at the age of 71. His widow remains a resident of Augusta. Dr. Philip Dow, the man who assumed the chairmanship of the Department of Physiology in 1960, established the W. F. Hamilton Memorial Fund with a $10,000 gift.

Dr. Hamilton is well known for his development of the Indicator Dilution Method of Measuring the Cardiac Outputs and related functions and for an instrument known, for short, as the Hamilton manometer, the earliest instrument used to record the details of the human arterial pressure pulse by means of a simple needle puncture.

In 1961 Dr. Hamilton was one of 10 leaders of American medicine honored for contributions which have directly influenced medical progress in the United States.

He wrote *Textbook on Human Physiology* and over a hundred additional articles published in scientific journals. In 1958 the American Heart Association bestowed on him its most coveted award, the Gold Heart Award, and in 1960 he received the Distinguished Achievement Award of the Georgia Heart Association. The Gairdner Foundation honored Dr. Hamilton in 1959 with an International Award for developing an effective means of measuring dye output of the heart through use of dye dilution.

G. Lombard Kelly, M.D.

G. Lombard Kelly, was the man who ushered the Medical College of Georgia into an era of dynamic growth as a health sciences university.

Through his leadership as Dean for 15 years, and as the first President of the College, the school moved from a faltering institution close to loss of accreditation back into a position of one of the leading medical colleges in the nation.

Dr. Kelly's work established a climate in which the medical profession of Georgia could continue to grow and progress.

He assumed the position of Dean of the Medical College of Georgia in 1935 and was made President in 1950 when the College was granted independent status from the University of Georgia.

During his term as Dean and then as President until 1953, MCG added new faculty and new facilities and achieved authorization for the teaching hospital.

A 1924 graduate of MCG, Dr. Kelly served as President Emeritus until his death on October 24, 1972. His widow resides in Augusta. In 1971 the Georgia House of Representatives commended Dr. Kelly for a lifetime of excellence in service to the citizens of Georgia.

Virgil P. Sydenstricker, M.D.

The genius which was Dr. Virgil P. Sydenstricker has been aptly and concisely written by Dr. J. Willis Hurst, professor and chairman of the School of Medicine, Emory University. In his book **Four Hats** Dr. Hurst says, "When first you met him you thought he belonged to an earlier generation. After he spoke a few words you knew he belonged to the next. He knew all the patients on the medical service of the University Hospital and they knew him. His medical notes were short but the logic leading to the correct answers was clearly visible. He was expert in many fields of medicine. Till he died his mind was engaged in creative thought and work. He did the technical work himself. He could say more in silence than most

G. Lombard Kelly Administration Building

William F. Hamilton Wing will be part of the Sanders Research and Education Building

men say in lengthy discussions. He was one of the few men who knew medicine."

Dr. Sydenstricker will always be remembered as a clinician and teacher, but he was also internationally recognized for his research in hematology, nutrition and oncology.

He was consultant to the Surgeon General of the United States Army from 1940-57; a member of the International Health Division of the Rockefeller Foundation; head of the European Nutritional Section in 1944-45 and at the same time was medical officer in charge of cleaning up the German prison camps at Belsen.

His publications, awards, honors, memberships and research projects would take considerable space to enumerate and it is less than a weak adjective to say that he was a great and able man who had the respect of scholars throughout the world. Dr. Sydenstricker died December 12, 1964.□

The Diploma? 1834--1974

SALUTEM.

NOS PRAESES, PRO-PRAESES ET PROFESSORES

Collegii Medici Georgiensis

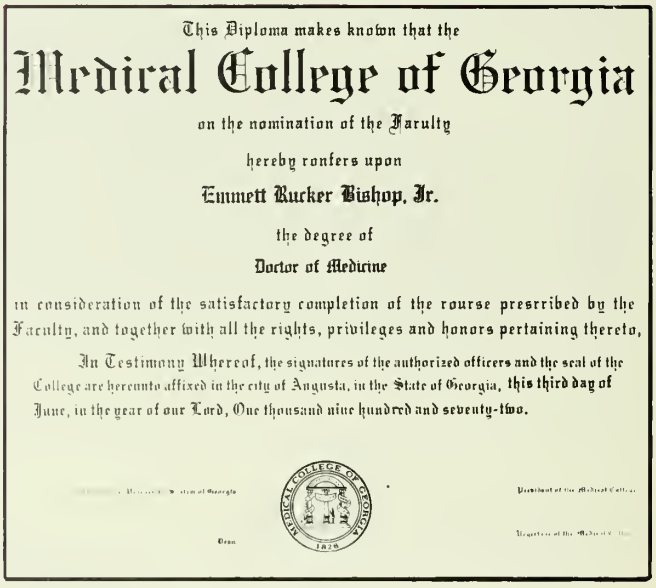
TESTAMUR

Emmett Rucker Bishop, Jr.

Postquam se saepe in Re medica progressus probasset a nobis esse honoratum

Gradu Medicinae Doctoris

1834



This Diploma makes known that the

Medical College of Georgia

on the nomination of the Faculty

hereby confers upon

Emmett Rucker Bishop, Jr.

the degree of

Doctor of Medicine

in consideration of the satisfactory completion of the course prescribed by the Faculty, and together with all the rights, privileges and honors pertaining thereto,

In Testimony Whereof, the signatures of the authorized officers and the seal of the College are hereunto affixed in the city of Augusta, in the State of Georgia, this third day of June, in the year of our Lord, One thousand nine hundred and seventy-two.

Present

Editor's Note: The Senior Administrative Group of the Medical College, requested by the Milton Antony Society to help determine how the 1834 MCG Diploma might be proposed for adoption, decided that the alumni, the faculty and students should participate in this decision. The form printed in this volume will give you an opportunity to share with students and faculty in this decision. The information is to assist you in your decision.

THE 1834 DIPLOMA

Late in the school year 1972-73 the original diploma of the Medical College of Georgia was relocated. Through funds provided by the Student Council, the Milton Antony Medical Historical Society has been involved in restoring this diploma to a form that would allow its use today.

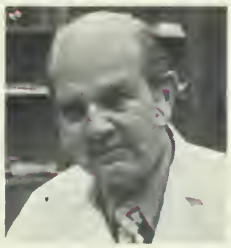
This diploma was originally engraved by R. Tiller in Philadelphia in 1834. The diploma was initially used at the 1834 graduation, the first under the new name "Medical College of Georgia." Previously the school had been known as the Medical Institute and even earlier as the Medical Academy of Georgia. Only four students were graduated before the 1834 diploma was adopted.

The 1834 diploma continued to serve the school into the twentieth century. In 1874 it was modified to include in the heading "Universitas Georgiensis" following MCG's affiliation with that school. Sometime prior to 1930, the Medical College became the School of Medicine of the University of Georgia. At this time the University of Georgia diploma began to be issued in place of the old plate.

In 1950 the Medical College became an independent institution once again. The name "Medical College of Georgia" was readopted. A new diploma very similar to the UGA diploma was adopted. In addition, the school continued to use the University of Georgia colors, red and black, until 1968, when the colors blue and silver were adopted from the Dugas coat-of-arms. It was not until 1973 that it was realized that the Medical College seal included the motto of the University of Georgia. A new version of the seal is now being used which, though based on the UGA seal, does not plagiarize their motto. There is a traditional seal associated with the Medical College, which included a picture of the Old Medical College Building. Like the 1833 diploma it was used well into this century. □

Dean's Page

Curtis H Carter



In 1972, as Acting Dean of the Medical College of Georgia School of Medicine, I made the following statement in MCG Today: "It is my strong feeling that the combination of students, faculty, and alumni of the School of Medicine represents the strength of the School. Therefore, the School of Medicine of MCG needs the strong support of alumni for continued growth and development. It is of paramount importance that the alumni be kept aware of not only the School of Medicine's programs, plans, and goals but those of the entire College as well. Likewise, the School of Medicine and the College should be kept informed of alumni needs, attitudes, interests and concerns.

Today, as Dean of the School of Medicine, I would like to re-emphasize this strong belief. In addition to this point, the meaning and significance of our institution to the people of Georgia and the Nation should be recognized and appreciated. The Medical College of Georgia is indeed one of our natural resources and the missions and goals involve not only educational programs for the health profession but involve significant research programs and special health care services.

The School of Medicine has continued to expand in order to help with the physician manpower problem in the State and in the Nation. This year 170 students were admitted to the School of Medicine; next year 180 will be admitted to the first year class; plans call for increasing the entering class size to 190 in 1975 and to 200 in 1976; however, the programs and resources of the institution must be reviewed by the Liaison Committee on Medical Education before increasing beyond 180.

We have continued to recognize our obligation in the development of medical educational programs, and, in September of this year, a special academic program, sponsored by the Kellogg Foundation was started with Dr. William Chew as Director and Dr. E. Jay Wheeler as Co-Director. This special curriculum involves 18 medical students, 18 nursing students, and 24 physician's assistant students and was developed in collaboration with the Schools of Nursing and Allied Health. In brief, the program involves the team approach to education and health care delivery and emphasizes problem-solving within the framework of patient care problems. Medical students may complete the program within a three year period or elect to take four years to complete requirements for graduation.

Since the dean's report in 1972, the School of Medicine and the Medical College of Georgia Hospital and Clinics have continued to grow and expand. Dr. Virendra Mahesh, previously with the Department of Endocrinology, was appointed Chairman of that department. Dr. William E. Lotterhos, President of the American Academy of General Practice, 1970-71, has been appointed Chairman of the new Department of Family Practice. The Family Practice Program has been implemented; the residency program has been approved and the first four residents started their training July 1, 1973.

Dr. Malcolm N. Luxenberg, previously a member of the clinical faculty, University of Miami School of Medicine, was recruited in August of 1972 from West Palm Beach, Fla. as the first Chairman of the new Department of Ophthalmology. Dr. Robert C. Little, formerly Chairman of the Department of Physiology at Ohio State, has been appointed Chairman of the Department of Physiology. Dr. Arlie R. Mansberger, Jr., previously Professor and Head, Division of General Surgery, University of Maryland School of Medicine, has joined the School of Medicine as Chairman of the Department of Surgery. Dr. Zachariah W. Gramling, Acting Chairman of the Department of Anesthesiology since October 1972 was appointed Chairman on July 1, 1973.

This year Dr. Leland D. Stoddard, Chairman of the Department of Pathology since 1954, developed plans that would permit him to continue his teaching and investigation with the department during each academic year and to work each summer with the Pathobiology Institute in Aspen, Colo. Currently, Dr. J. Graham Smith, Jr., Chairman of the Department of Dermatology, is serving as Acting Chairman of the department and as Chairman of the Search Committee for a new chairman.

In addition, a search committee is actively recruiting for a new chairman of the Department of Anatomy. In the meantime, Dr. Thomas F. McDonald is continuing to serve as Acting Chairman.

During the past year all of the departments throughout the School of Medicine have been expanded and all programs have been strengthened. A special event and milestone during the year was the awarding of two Charbonnier Professorships; one to Dr. Robert G. Ellison and one to Dr. Sam A. Singal. These professorships were made possible through the L. H. Charbonnier Endowment Fund and provides for increased support for both of these distinguished professors. Certainly, this type of support for professorships, fellowships, and for other needs throughout the medical school will become increasingly important to the growth and enrichment of the programs of the School of Medicine.

In order to accommodate the increasing class size, plans have been completed for a three-story 30,000 square feet, addition to the Sanders Research and Education Building. This addition, to be known as the Hamilton Wing, will include two auditoria with a seating capacity of 250 each.

In addition, the contract has already been awarded for the Sydenstricker Wing addition to the Talmadge Hospital. Of special interest, is the recognition and provision of "teaching space" throughout the addition for the medical student.

Along with the increased awareness of social changes and, at the same time, recognizing that health care is a right of the people, it is more important than ever that the clinical programs in medical schools be extended to involve the community in a meaningful way. Relevance to medical education in this regard is an important concept and the School of Medicine has continued to work towards more involvement with community institutions. Certainly, clinical settings within this framework are needed in order to complement and balance the educational experience of the medical student. At this time, in addition to programs with medical institutions in the Augusta area, plans for increasing involvement with medical centers in Columbus, Macon, and Savannah are being developed.

Other specific appointments should be noted. As of July 1, 1972, Dr. Joseph P. Bailey, Jr., was appointed Associate Dean for Clinical Sciences and Chief of Staff of the Talmadge Memorial Hospital. He has continued to be Chief of the Section of Rheumatology, Department of Medicine and through his efforts all of the clinical programs have been improved and strengthened.

On August 1, 1972, Mr. James P. Crimmins joined the School of Medicine as Assistant Dean for Business Affairs. Certainly, through his efforts, increased efficiency in management of the affairs of the School of Medicine has been obtained. Mr. Richard E. Gillock, Hospital Administrator since October 1, 1970, was appointed Assistant Dean for Hospital Affairs on July 1, 1973. Through his efforts, combined with those of his staff, the hospital and clinics programs have been improved and expanded. □

The Alumni—Vital Part of

The Plan

A campaign to increase the endowment funds of the Medical College of Georgia by $3 million is underway.

The alumni, for the first time in the history of the College, are being asked on a statewide basis to support this effort.

Alumni are MCG's strongest and most responsive link to the communities of Georgia and other parts of the nation.

It is through their economic support and community influence that MCG hopes to bolster its endowment funds.

This money will be used to provide those fellowships, professorships, scholarships and other private sector supplements which are absolutely necessary in the margin between a good medical school and a great medical school.

The Foundation Board of Trustees which consists of the MCG President, Provost, Vice President for Finance, Deans, Alumni Association Presidents, Alumni, Georgia business leaders and some at large members will say how the income from this endowment will be invested to advance MCG.

The Foundation is a separate, non-profit corporation created in 1954 to serve as an appropriate channel for receiving gifts of funds to fill the "gaps" not provided for by tax dollars in the development of MCG. As of September 30, 1973, the Foundation had on its books $398,070 in endowment funds—the corpus of which cannot be invaded —and $297,877 in "custodial" funds. The latter consists of gifts or grants which the donors designated for specific purposes and are temporary or "in-out" funds; there is no assurance that such gifts will be replenished or replaced. The Foundation trustees exercise no control over such funds.

Dr. William H. Moretz in his inaugural address called for the building of an endowment fund amounting to $20 million from which an annual income of $1 million would be available.

This is the first phase of that effort and is the culmination of thinking in this area for the past several years.

The Alumni Association of the School of Medicine and the Medical College of Georgia Foundation, Inc. have approved this step as the first move toward increased endowment.

Prior to this the Alumni Association of the School of Medicine had already expressed support of a drive for a Virgil P. Sydenstricker, M.D., Chair of Medicine and for Chairs honoring G. Lombard Kelly, M.D., and William F. Hamilton, Ph.D.

It was within the context of this planning that Dr. J. Render Turner of LaGrange gave $10,000 to help launch the campaign.

Dr. Robert (Pop) Waller of Albany, president of the Alumni Association and Dr. Irving Victor, president of the MCG Foundation, Inc., have expressed support of the campaign and have already put in many hours of work on planning.

The MCG Campus "family" is being asked to support this effort with an annual percentage of their income. Georgia and national businessmen, industrialists and foundations will be asked to participate.

There is a growing alumni role at MCG. For years hundreds of loyal graduates and former interns and residents have sustained the MCG Foundation, Inc., in its aid to students and other programs.

In 1974 Alumni are being asked to help in an even more significant way to shape MCG for those thousands of future health professionals who must pass through its doors.

The Leadership

Savannah
January 9
Dr. Irving Victor
Dr. J. C. Meets Sr.
Dr. Julian K. Quattlebaum

Albany
January 17
Dr. Robert Waller
Dr. J. Z. McDaniel
Dr. William H. Bridges

Valdosta
January 29
Dr. Richard Nutt

Columbus-LaGrange
February 6
Dr. J. Render Turner
Dr. Hoke Wommack
Dr. Floyd Jarrell
Dr. Roy Waller

Rome
February 13
Dr. Henry Lucas

Gainesville
February 20
Dr. Harvey Newman

Macon
February 21
Dr. John Paul Jones

Greenville, S. C.
no date set
Dr. Frank Stelling

Complete leadership lists and regional results will be published in the spring issue. This future list would also include other leaders and workers in the cities listed here.

Sesquicentennial Fund

Campus Campaign

Campus community endowment fund campaign pledges and gifts totaled $50,465 after passing the mid-point in the drive's schedule, Mr. James C. Austin, director of Institutional Relatons announced January 8.

Only one of five Schools has completed the drive and reports are in from only three as of January 8.

The School of Allied Health Sciences officially closed its drive with 94 per cent of the faculty of the school making pledges, Mrs. Barbara Harms, instructor in Medical Record Administration announces.

Dr. Steve Kolas, School of Dentistry team leader, reports 86 per cent participation with the drive still underway.

School of Nursing co-leaders, Joe Taylor and Patricia A. Moxley, are still taking pledges from their faculty with total participation, to date, at 71 per cent.

Schools of Medicine and Graduate Studies are continuing their efforts and will report at the end of January. Dr. Lois Ellison is directing a joint drive of these two Schools.

Mr. John Evers, director of Personnel, is directing the administrative and staff segment of the campaign.

The Objectives

Private support — from alumni and other individuals, foundations, business and industry — is the critical need now for the Medical College of Georgia.

A minimum of $3,000,000 in endowment funds, from these private sources, is the key to fulfilling MCG's true potential for excellence. Endowment funds are especially helpful to an institution of higher learning beeause they can be depended upon to produee year-after-year income. They assure a healthy financial condition in good times, and provide a "cushion" in the event of an economic downturn. More positively, they permit the pursuit of long-range objectives — in medical research, for example, when an investigation to be truly worthwhile may require several years to complete.

Most urgent of the Medical College of Georgia's present needs is adequate endowment for:

Endowed professorships — These funds, producing annual income to supplement the salary scale established and implemented by the state, will help attract and retain outstanding teachers. If MCG is to grow and to become a truly outstanding health sciences university, the College must be not only competitive but more than competitive in the "market place" for exceptionally able faculty.

"Five Schools" fund — Throughout MCG's five schools, each with a number of departments, there is constant need for funds over and above basic requirements met from state support. Supplemental funds from private endowment will enable the MCG administration and the deans of the sehools to meet a multiplicity of needs—for research, equipment, augmenting basic salaries, as needs arise.

Research endowment—The Medical College of Georgia must continue to contribute to the ever-growing fund of knowledge for combatting disease and developing new skills for diagnosis and treatment of the sick. Recent reductions of federal funds and the termination of several programs have sharpened MCG's need for research funds, in both the basic sciences and elinical areas. Adequate endowment for research also will help attract outstanding people to the faculty.

Funds for graduate fellowships—This endowment program will provide the means for drawing unusually capable graduate students to the College who ean contribute to research and serve as instructors in the basic scienees or in developing advanced clinical skills.

Student financial aid — More than half the present student body—52 per cent—require financial aid . . . low interest, long-term loans or seholarships. No qualified student should be unable to enter, or be forced to discontinue his studies, for financial reasons. MCG cannot increase its "production" of urgently needed new health professionals without a substantial increase in financial aid funds. □

on campus

Dr. Bresnick Appointed

Dr. Edward Bresnick, chairman of the Department of Cell and Molecular Biology and acting dean of the School of Graduate Studies at MCG, has been named a member of a top level task force by the National Cancer Institute. He will be one of 10 members of the National Cancer Institute's carcinogenesis and epidemiology subcommittee of the task force on large bowel cancer. Dr. Bresnick came to MCG in 1971 from the Baylor College of Medicine.

resident honored

Dr. George S. Stretcher, a third-year resident in dermatology at the Medical College of Georgia, was named one of the 15 physicians in the nation to compete in the annual Resident's Forum December 1-6 in Chicago.

Dr. J. Graham Smith, chairman of the Dermatology Department at the Medical College, is chairman of the Forum this year. Dr. Smith said the resident judged to have submitted the best paper will receive the Henry W. Stelwagon prize, awarded by the College of Physicians of Philadelphia.

record enrollment

The Medical College of Georgia has reported the highest student enrollment in its 145 year history. The College's 2,140 fall quarter enrollment represents a 29 per cent increase over the same quarter last year and is up nearly three times the enrollment of five years ago according to tabulations released by the College.

Figures showed that the School of Nursing, with the largest number of students among the College's five schools had the largest percentage increase in enrollment this year over 1972. Enrollment in that school jumped 78 per cent. Enrollment in the School of Allied Health Sciences was up 42 per cent, and the School of Medicine enrollment reflects a 5 per cent increase over 1972.

paper presented

Donna R. Toole, assistant professor of occupational therapy at the Medical College of Georgia, presented a paper at the World Federation of Mental Health meeting in Sydney, Australia, October 8-12. Her paper was entitled "Occupational Therapy in Changing Models of Health Care: Evolution and Outreach".

CAMPUS VISITOR—Dr. Earl L. Warren, '25, and his wife, Mrs. Amy G. Warren of Glen Rock, New Jersey, recently visited the MCG Campus. Dr. Curtis Carter (R), dean of the School of Medicine, invited Dr. Warren to speak at a faculty meeting during his visit. Dr. Warren has announced his intentions through his attorneys, bank trust officers, and James C. Austin, director of the Division of Institutional Relations, to work out a total estate plan which will benefit MCG by over $500,000. Included in this is a fellowship honoring his wife, Amy G. Warren and in memory of his brother, Lamar Warren. Also planned is an endowed professorship in the name of his parents, John and Ada Warren.

new chairman

Robert Eugene Leftwich, assistant professor of adult nursing at the Medical College of Georgia has been named chairman of the Department of Adult Nursing at the College. Mr. Leftwich joined the MCG faculty in 1972. He received the bachelor of science in nursing degree from Baylor University and earned his master of science degree in medical surgical nursing at Northern Illinois University.

continuing education

More than 6,200 health professionals from all over the country attended 305 continuing education courses offered by MCG last year according to figures released by the Division of Continuing Education.

Participants came from 37 states and the District of Columbia. One hundred and thirty-three of Georgia's 159 counties were represented.

Among the health professionals attending were 2,380 physicians, 539 dentists, 701 registered nurses, 707 nursing personnel, 680 allied health personnel, and 111 Medical College of Georgia personnel.

SMITH ELECTED — J. Graham Smith, M.D., chairman of the MCG Department of Dermatology, was elected chairman of the Southern Medical Association's Section of Dermatology during its recent meeting in San Antonio, Texas.

sigma theta tau

The MCG School of Nursing was awarded a charter for Sigma Theta Tau, the only national honor society of nursing, at a recent groups conference in Indianapolis. Everyone who has been a member of the School's Honor Society in the past, including alumni, students and faculty, will be eligible for membership.

new appointments

Twelve new faculty appointments at the Medical College of Georgia have been approved by the Regents of the University System of Georgia.

The new faculty members are: Dr. Rene E. Cornier, assistant professor, medicine; Dr. Herbert L. Ratcliffe, clinical professor, pathology; Dr. Robert H. Ackerman, instructor, periodontics; Dr. Andrew R. Allgood, instructor, restorative dentistry; Dr. Kenneth J. Anusavice, assistant professor, restorative dentistry; Dr. Lee A. Bell, instructor, periodontics; Dr. Frank B. Hines, Jr., assistant professor, orthodontics; Dr. Ira C. Klinger, instructor, pedodontics; Dr. Jimmy R. Patten, assistant professor, oral biology; Dr. Michael B. Rogers, assistant professor, orthodontics; Donna M. Fair, assistant professor, adult nursing and James E. Carter, III, assistant director, minority student affairs.

laminar air flow

MCG orthopedic surgeons have begun a new surgical procedure as a result of installation of the first laminar air flow system in a Talmadge Hospital operating room.

The new ventilating system, which utilizes a constant flow of air through a filter system to keep 'shed' articles from dropping onto the open surgical wound, was introduced at ETMH in mid-August.

It enables surgeons to replace the hip and knee joints of patients with arthritis, by substituting a total artificial joint for the ailing one.

Dr. Ed Berg has supervised all of the total knee replacements in the new clean air room. The laminar air flow system is necessary, Dr. Berg says, because the great size of the artificial parts that replace the joints makes infection a constant threat. Previously, when only half of the joint was replaced, there was not as much chance of infection.

In the three-sided operating room, the air is blown through an entire wall of filters, at a rate of 200 air changes per minute within the room. "It is like standing in a stiff breeze," Dr. Berg says.

"The laminar air flow system is not the only precaution we take in these total knee and hip replacements," he explains. "We use double gloves, double masks, special hoods, special pants with fasteners at the bottom, and shoe covers. This meticulous technique insures that there will not be contaminating fall-out from the physicians or operating personnel."

Since mid-August, Dr. Berg has performed three total-knee replacements, with very good early results.

"There is almost immediate relief of previous pain," he said. "The patients report feeling better even in the first post-operative days. They are out of bed in three to five days, and their post-operative stay in the hospital is roughly cut in half."

One total hip replacement has been performed in the new operating environment by Dr. Elwyn Saunders, and the present goal for this new technique at ETMH is a maximum of one knee and one hip replacement a week, while the surgeons concentrate on establishing a standard protocol and technique.

MEMORIAL FUND ESTABLISHED — Mrs. William Parks Stevens (L) who has established the Billy and Bobby Stevens Memorial Fund with the MCG Foundation, Inc., is pictured with Mrs. Edward M. Boehm, widow of the American artist who attained artistic immortality before his death in 1969. Many of his creations of porcelain art birds and other type works are housed at Ft. Valley, Ga., as a result of Mrs. Stevens donation of her collection of the pieces and a building to house the collection. Mrs. Steven's gift to MCG will provide a perpetual program for improving techniques in care, development and treatment of children and enhancing medical knowledge of the cure and prevention of children's diseases.

OUTGOING PRESIDENT — Dr. Raymond C. Bard, (L) dean of the School of Allied Health Sciences at MCG, is welcomed to Boston by Deputy Mayor Edward T. Sullivan during the November national meeting of the National Association of Schools of Allied Health Professions. Dr. Bard served as president of the national organization during the past year. He has been with MCG since 1967 and prior to that was assistant vice-president for research and executive director of the Research Foundation at the University of Kentucky.

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Dear MCG Graduates:

I am most anxious to communicate to each of you concerning the many question marks now surrounding medical education financing.

It would be foolish to write in anything but uncertain terms about federal financing--most of this question remains in doubt and will until later in 1974.

However, it would also be less than prudent to ignore the proposed cutbacks which could result in a dwindling of research programs, student aid, faculty assistance and school sponsored community health services.

The people of this State are generous in their support of MCG but even now before many of the potential cutbacks in aid from federal sources, we need additional funds for faculty recruitment, student aid, research projects and other purposes that are not provided by State money.

This is the reason we are attempting to increase MCG's endowment funds in the MCG Foundation, Inc. Many of you have systematically supported the College for years through the Foundation. For this we are grateful. Now I am asking that you get behind this endowment effort which is so increasingly critical.

During the coming months I look forward to meeting many of you and renewing acquaintances. To each I wish a healthy and prosperous New Year.

Sincerely yours,

Wm. H. Moretz

William H. Moretz, M.D.
President

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Deaths

Albert I. Buckwald, '45, San Francisco, Calif.

James R. Collier, '49, Gadsden, Ala.

James K. McClintic, '13, Boise, Idaho

Floyd W. Morgan, '43, Douglasville

Claude V. VanSant Jr., '50, Douglasville

Bithel Wall, '46, Americus

James B. Wilbanks, '58, Clarksville

Medicine

1917 - 1949

Lloyd B. Greene, '17 has retired from the practice of medicine. He is the only living member of the Class of 1917 and states that "with the exception of Dr. Edgar Pund everyone at MCG with whom he had any connection is deceased."

Robert G. McGahee, '24, was named clinical professor emeritus of Pediatrics at the Medical College of Georgia, effective October 1, 1973. Dr. McGahee received the B.S. degree from the University of Georgia and the M.D. degree from the Medical College of Georgia. He has been engaged in private practice in Augusta since 1933, and since that time has actively participated in the teaching program of the Medical College.

Julian A. Jarman, '34, Atlanta, is director of the Veterans Administration Hospital and chairman of the Federal Executive Board.

Thomas H. McGuire, '44, Houston, Tex., had a paper, "Lower Extremity Monoparesis" printed in **International Surgery,** August, 1973, Vol. 58, No. 8. **Ira E. Bell,** '45, has been appointed to the full-time staff of New England Medical Center Hospital as a radiotherapist in the Department of Therapeutic Radiology. Prior to this Dr. Bell was at Catawba Memorial Hospital in Hickory, N. C. where he was chief of staff. He is a fellow in the American College of Radiology and is a member of the American Medical Association. **John P. Wilson,** '47, Atlanta, is the chairman of the board of directors of the Georgia Division of the American Cancer Society and is associate chief of surgery at the Georgia Baptist Hospital. **Harold Houston,** '47, and **Emmet Ferguson,** '50 are partners in practice of colonrectal surgery in Jacksonville, Fla. They report many MCG Alumni are in that city and that recently Lane Mathis and Ed Watt of MCG did an externship in Jacksonville.

Nat Smith, '49, has been named dean of Mercer University's proposed medical college, effective October 1, 1973. Dr. Smith was serving as associate dean and professor of medicine at the University of Illinois College of Medicine when he accepted this position. The new medical college, scheduled to open in 1976, will train primary care and first-contact physicians. Dr. Smith was born in South Carolina and graduated from Erskine College in that state.

1953-1955

Bennett F. Horton, Sr., '53, is practicing anesthesia at East Tennessee Baptist Hospital in Knoxville. **Col. Mims C. Aultman,** '53, has moved to Washington, D. C. where he will coordinate all educational activities for the Surgeon General — Army Medical Department. Prior to this he was at the U. S. Army War College, Carlisle, Barracks, Pa. **Gerald E. Caplan,** '54, Savannah, director of diagnostic radiology and nuclear medicine at Memorial Medical Center, has passed the certifying examination of the American Board of Nuclear Medicine. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Radiology and is an examiner for the Joint Committee on accreditation for Schools of Radiologic Technology. **Luther B. Travis,** '55, has been promoted to professor of pediatrics and director of the Division of Nephrology at the University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston. He was named regional director of International Study of Kidney Disease in Children. Dr. Travis was also appointed to the Certification and Competency Committee on Nephrology of the American Board of Pediatrics. **Richard L. Nutt,** '55, Valdosta, and his wife, Ruth, have recently returned from a trip to the western U.S. and into the Canadian Rockies.

1956-1960

Milton E. Satcher, '56, has been promoted to assistant professor in orthopedic surgery at Emory University in Atlanta. **Carl R. Hartrampf,** '56, was recently promoted to clinical assistant professor of surgery at Emory University in Atlanta. **James H. Sullivan,** '58, of Columbus and his family took a two-week trip to Greece and Turkey this year. **John Lee Anderson,** '60, Macon, has joined the Radiology Associated at the Medical Center of Central Georgia and will practice diagnostic radiology and nuclear medicine.

1961-1965

William C. Maloy, '61, has been named clinical assistant professor of medicine (cardiology) at Emory School of Medicine. Formerly on the faculty at the Medical University of South Carolina, he is now in practice in the Atlanta area. **S. H. Levine,** '61, has returned to full time practice after his recent illness. He is associated with **Sidney A. Funk,** '66, and Dr. Saul Vitner in ob-gyn in Atlanta. **K. Allen Harper,** '63, Savannah, has been certified by the American Board of Plastic Surgery. He has practiced plastic and reconstructive surgery in Savannah for the past two years. **William H. Speir, Jr.,** '65, and **Mary Lehman Speir,** '64 (nursing) announced the birth of a daughter, Mary Butler Wood Speir, September 6, 1973. **Gordon C. Carson, III,** '65, a a lieutenant colonel in the Army has completed active duty and is now entering private practice in radiology with Drs. Albert Rayle and Katherine Edwards in Atlanta.

1966-1969

Herbert S. Greenwald, Jr., '66, has announced the opening of his office for practice of General Ophthalmology with special in Oculo-Plastics at the Coliseum Park Professional Building, Macon. Major **William L. Wilkes,** '67, has been assigned to duty at Vandenberg, AFB, Calif., after having previously served at Sheppard AFB, Tex. **Ron Roper,** '68, a first year urology resident at Memorial Medical Center in Savannah, has just returned from a 3-year stay in Germany. He and his wife, Sandra, have three children. **R. Martin York,** '69, San Francisco, has completed a tour of duty in the Army and is doing a second year internal medicine residency at Moffit Hospital in San Francisco. **William E. Bush,** '69, is doing an anesthesiology residency at the University of Florida after completing his tour of duty in the Navy in Virginia Beach, Va. **Hugh O. Hodges** is practicing family medicine in Winder with **John C. House,** '67, of the Parkerson Clinic.

1970-1973

Alex Mitchell, '70, and his wife, who are at the Medical College of Alabama at Birmingham, announce the birth of a daughter, Andrea Lea Mitchell on July 17, 1973. **Richard A. Brown,** '70, Huntsville, Ala., has completed a Family Practice residency at the University of Oklahoma and has joined the faculty of the new School of Primary Care at the University of Alabama at Huntsville. He and his wife have a family addition, Christopher, now two and Paula and Allyson, 3 1/2. **William D. Daniel,** '70, a

Lt. Commander in the Navy, recently received an award for his paper "Uterus Didelphys in Pregnancy: A Review." Dr. Daniel won second prize for resident's papers at the Armed Forces District Seminar, American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, held in Las Vegas. Presently, he is a resident in the ob-gyn service of the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md. **Charles (Bud) Herndon, Jr.,** '70, has completed two years as a Flight Surgeon in the Air Force and is a first year resident in the Tulane Department of Orthopedics at Charity Hospital in New Orleans. **David E. Field,** '72, and his wife of Canton, Ga. announce the birth of a daughter, Jennifer Gray on July 12, 1973. **Miles H. Mason, III,** '72, has started a general surgery residency at MCG. **J. Michael Putman,** '73, is an intern at the Baylor Medical Center in Dallas, Texas. **Cheng-Hsiung Lin,** '73, is working as a resident in ob-gyn at MCG.

Alumni Earn Distinction

The largest number of surgeons in the history of the College — an anticipated 1,675 — were inducted October 19 as new Fellows of the American College of Surgeons during the annual five-day Clinical Congress of the world's largest organization of surgeons. Fellowship, a degree entitling the recipient to the designation "F.A.C.S." following the doctor's name, is awarded to those surgeons who fulfill comprehensive requirements of acceptable medical education and advanced training as specialists in one of the branches of surgery, and who give evidence of good moral character and ethical practice.
MCG Alumni receiving this distinction were: **Rodney M. Browne,** Macon, Ga.; **Roger A. Bates,** Waycross, Ga.; **Robert H. Carter,** Savannah, Ga.; **William M. Coleman,** Albany, Ga.; **Walker C. McGraw,** Atlanta, Ga.; **Robert W. Oliver,** Dublin Ga.; **Benjamin H. Wofford,** Marietta, Ga.

Southern Medical Association

MCG alumni and faculty were active during the Southern Medical Association meeting in San Antonio, Texas, November 11-14. Some of those participating on programs were: **George A. Holloway,** '32, Atlanta who with E. L. Frederickson presented "Clinical Evaluation of Isoflurance". Dr. Holloway made the presentation to the Section on Anesthesiology; Toivo E. Rist and Donald C. Abele, Augusta, presented "Current Concepts of Toxic Epidermal Necrolysis" to the Section on Dermatology; **Z. M. Kilpatrick,** '59, Augusta, and Jack B. Spainhour, Jr., Danville, Virginia presented "Liver Disease Following Jejuno-Ileal Bypass" to the Section on Gastroenterology, **William S. Hagler,** '55, Atlanta and William H. Jarrett II presented "Retinal Detachment Caused by Trauma" to the Section on Ophthalmology; William D. Jennings, and C. Martin Rhodes both of Augusta presented "Pacinian Corpuscle Neuroma of Digital Nerves" to the Section on Orthopedic and Traumatic Surgery; **Paul E. Stanton, Jr.,** '69, along with Pano A. Lamis, Jr., **John P. Wilson,** '47 and A. Hamblin Letton all of Atlanta presented "Perforation of Arteriosclerotic Aneurysms Into the Inferior Vena Cava" to the Section on Surgery. Dr. Stanton made the presentation. C. Martin Rhode, associate chief of staff for research, Veterans Administration Hospital, Augusta, presented a paper entitled "Pacinian Corpuscle Neuroma of Digital Nerves".

Nursing

Maidana K. Nunn, '58, recently completed the five weeks program in flight nursing at the School of Aerospace Medicine, Brooks AFB, Texas. Captain Nunn is a reservist and is assigned to the 35th Aeroevacuation Flight Maxwell AFB, Ala. **Meg Pilgrim,** '68, and her husband Bill announce the birth of their daughter, Margaret "Mitzi" Donna, born on July 2, 1973. Air Force Captain **Ruth E. Sweat,** '72, attended the recent Aerospace Medical Association meeting in Las Vegas. She is assigned as a nurse with the 64th Aeromedical Evacuation Flight at Dobbins AFB, Ga. Captain **Mary Alice Bailey,** '72, has been appointed Psychiatric Liason and Consultant Nurse for Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C. She earned the M.S. in Nursing with a major in Mental Health-Psychiatric Nursing from MCG. **E. Louise Grant,** dean emeritus of the School of Nursing, MCG, is presently on a temporary assignment with the American Nurses' Association in Kansas City, Mo., as special assistant to the director of Nursing Practice, Professional Activities Division. During the fall of 1973, Dean Grant traveled to Beirut, Lebanon, visiting Esther Moyer, former faculty member at MCG and **Wadad Kahlaf** and **Lorena Yamine,** former MCG students. She then went to Iran for a tour of several cities and a visit with former student, **Parivash Shadipour Mura.** Her travels also included Kabul Afghanistan and India. In Beirut she met a former student, **Mrs. Masuda Azizi,** who was being oriented at the American University for a World Health Organization position. A highlight of her trip was in southern India where she visited her adopted daughter, Alleyamma John, an Indian girl Dean Grant has been sending to school for 12 years. Dean Grant hopes to have a short assignment with the World Health Organization following her present duties and then will continue her travels going to New Zealand, Australia and the South Pacific.

Graduate Studies

Graeme Victor Chapman, '73, is working as a research associate at Wayne State University Medical School in Detroit, Mich. **Augustine H. L. Chuang,** '73, is working as a post-doctor fellow at Southwestern Medical School in Dallas, Tex. **Chung Yin Hung,** '73, is serving as an assistant professor in the MCG School of Dentistry. **John J. Mosca,** '73, is working as a research assistant III in the MCG School of Dentistry. **Robert Allen Varge,** '73, is employed by MCG as an instructor in physiology.

School of Allied Health Sciences

Medical Illustration

Margaret Greene Bowles, '69, is a graduate student in Biochemistry at the Medical University of South Carolina in Charleston. **Cecil Dopson,** '72, was awarded first place in the Open Division in the Sama-Eaton Art Award Competition in 1973. He is now a medical student at LSU. Floyd Hosmer, a second year Medical Illustration student, received second place. **Sandra Wells** and **Judith Glick** '73, received honorable mentions in the Sama-Eaton Art Award Competition for 1973. Sandra received first Honorable Mention and Judith, second Honorable Mention.

Physician/Artist

"I like the intellectual, technical challenge, like solving a puzzle," said Dr. Roy Ward of Watkinsville.

He may have been describing his general medical practice. But he wasn't.

Dr. Ward was describing his "only serious hobby," painting, which he has pursued "on and off" for about 30 years.

As he methodically prepared about 50 of his works for a display at the Museum of Arts and Sciences, Ward explained why he prefers watercolors to oil painting: "It is very practical. I can prepare in a hurry; do it in a hurry; and clean up in a hurry. I can usually finish in one sitting.

"I like the challenge. In watercolors, you must plan ahead. You can't finish as you go as you can in oils."

It is hard to tell which is more important — the time factor or the challenge — to this middle aged doctor who remodeled his federal style home over the last two years.

Due to his medical practice and his carpentry work at home, Ward said he was able to devote only about four or five days to painting this last year.

He admits his painting takes "long skips," periods in which he does not paint at all. The longest "skip" was a 10 year period beginning in the early 50's, when he produced only a few paintings. In the five years he lived in the Washington, D. C. area, he made some fabric prints from linoleum block impressions, some of which he sold in art stores. He also worked on paper prints and silk-screens, he said.

"I would love to get into silk-screening but I don't have the time. It is easy to let it take up too much time." He gave up painting over this period when he lacked time to visit the countryside, where he prefers to paint landscapes "on the spot", sitting in the back of a pickup truck with a canopy shielding him from the sun.

"That is what I enjoy the most about painting, going out in the country," Ward said. When able to take a few days off, "that is all I do," beginning at daybreak and working all day.

In his habit of "painting on the spot" and in the impact of color in his paintings, Ward sees a resemblance between his and Monet's works.

While he has had "little formal training" in art, the bachelor artist said he "studied intensely on his own." The focus of his three trips to Europe, two to the Orient, and yearly trips to the Northeast was visiting the museums.

When he studied classical Oriental art, Ward felt a "sense of recognition" because his paintings "already looked somewhat like them."

From his grandmother, who painted before he was born, Ward picked up the enthusiasm for painting. His art is rarely offered for sale but occasionally given away to friends, he said. "I like the painting more than the money."

SKULL AND HAT — Dr. Roy T. Ward, '47, of Watkinsville, describes this painting as showing some of his feelings about art — that it should show some humor and light-hearted courage in the face of disaster. Dr. Ward is a recognized Georgia artist who has won many awards for his works and who has exhibited his paintings many times.

MCG Graduate is White House Fellow

Lt. Col. William E. Barry, '68, recently named a White House Fellow, is a "jack of all trades" in an age of specialization and doing well at all of them.

Prior to the fellowship he was chief of Aeromedical Services at Kirtland AFB, N. M., the doctor is qualified as an engineer, a test pilot and a flight surgeon — so far.

Barry has led an active life, obviously, since attending the U. S. Military Academy, where he was on the dean's list for four years and a varsity wrestler for three. It was here that he picked up his degree in aeronautical engineering.

In 1959, he left engineering for pilot training, graduating number two in his class. He went on to fly single- and multi-engine jets in Europe, Africa, the Middle East and Asia.

During his pilot days, Barry received commendations for his participation in the Berlin and Vietnam campaigns, and in other assignments. During this period also, he took time to qualify as a parachutist, picking up the Iron Mike Trophy for top honors in Airborne (jump) Class.

When the AF decided to make doctors of some of its flying engineers, Barry was selected. He earned his M.D. from the Medical College of Georgia, graduating in the upper 10 per cent of his class. He went on to Harvard to earn a master's degree in public health. He completed his internship in 1969 at the Wilford Hall Medical Center, Lackland AFB, Texas.

During his summer "vacations," Barry served at the Kennedy Space Center in the Directorate of Bioastronautics, in support of Project Gemini.

One summer, in 1967, he spent his school break at Edwards AFB, Calif., as an engineer-test pilot with the Full Pressure Suit Branch of the Flight Test Center. He was involved with several projects — among them the X-15 and XB-70.

In 1972, he completed his residency requirements at the School of Aerospace Medicine, Brooks AFB, Texas, to become a certified specialist in aerospace medicine.

At Kirtland, he was the head of Aeromedical Services. He is also attached to the fighter branch of the 4900th Test Group as a project test pilot, flying the T-38, F-4 and F-100 fighters. He is a rated flight surgeon.

"I'd like to continue within the aerospace test environment," Colonel Barry says, "combining the latest in aircraft to human capacities. This means staying within Systems Command. . . this is where it's happening."

Meanwhile, Barry was named AF Systems Command Flight Surgeon of the Year. Last year he won the Aerospace Medical Association Julian E. Ward Award for "outstanding contributions to the art and science of aerospace medicine."

Dr. Dewey Gray Resigns at University

After serving as teacher, instructor, and guide and friend to hundreds of interns, residents and medical students, Dr. J. Dewey Gray has resigned as Chief of Medicine of University Hospital, and has brought to a close a service that has seen him serve as a vital and dynamic molder of physicians.

Dr. Gray was first associated with University Hospital in 1918. At this time University was the Medical College's principal teaching hospital. In a career which has spanned more than one half of a century he has been active in many phases of University Hospital and its history. In 1918, he did laboratory work at University for private service patients. After completing a period of training in 1919-20, then called an internship, but now referred to as an externship, he graduated from the Medical College in 1920.

After graduation, he served as assistant resident in medicine in 1920-21 and as resident in medicine in 1921-22. In 1922 he began the private practice of internal medicine, an active practice which he continued to the present, while still devoting vast amounts of time to the teaching of interns and residents. In addition to his own private practice and to service as Chief of Medicine for University Hospital, he is also a clinical professor of medicine at the Medical College of Georgia.

Selected as a Fellow in the American College of Physicians in 1929, he has also been a Diplomate of the American Board of Internal Medicine since 1937 and was named to Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society in 1950.

With his election as Chief of Medicine in the mid-1950's, Dr. Gray has served a vital part in the teaching of interns, residents and medical students at University Hospital. As Chief of Medicine, his schedule included Medical-Pathology conferences on Tuesday, X-ray conferences on Wednesdays, followed by ward rounds lasting three to four hours, a Friday morning conference and ward rounds for several hours on Sunday. It is a point of pride with him that "in all that time, I've never missed a conference unless I was ill or had to be out of town."

The teaching role of Chief of Medicine has enabled Dr. Gray to guide his students through their first close contact with and responsibility for patients.

News note / address correction for MCG Today

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Survey Reply (See page 8). My opinion concerning the MCG Diploma is:

_____ Yes, I favor a return to the use of the 1834 style diploma for all MCG graduates.

_____ I favor retaining the present style diploma.

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Fall Commencement

Ninety-five students received degrees from the Medical College of Georgia September 22 in the institution's 139th commencement.

Forty-eight Bachelor of Science degrees in Nursing were awarded. Six Master of Science degrees in Nursing, 31 Doctor of Dental Medicine degrees, one Doctor of Medicine degree, one Master of Science degree, and 10 Bachelor of Science degrees in the allied health professions of medical record administration, medical technology, and radiologic technology were also awarded.

The graduates, listed alphabetically by degrees are:

Doctor of Medicine

Harold Wendell Pitts, Gray.

Doctor of Dental Medicine

Robert Henry Ackerman, Thomasville; Gerald George Adams, Columbus; Joseph D. Adams, Douglas; Andrew Ridgeway Allgood, Gainesville; Lee Augustus Bell, Millen; Robert Reppard Bennett, Jesup; Emmett Wheeless Black, Jr., Dublin; Jimmy Leighton Brock, Austell; Frank Marion Durst, III, Augusta; James Weyman Fields, Rome; Harold Weldon Fountain, Jr., Tucker; Lee Belton Godfrey, Fairborn, Ohio; Charles Thomas Graham, Nahunta; David Reed Harman, Atlanta; Richard Lee Hoodenpyle, Hiawassee; David Bing Hurst, Sylvania; Clarence Joe, Augusta; Ira Charles Klinger, Augusta; Steven Jay Koehler, Augusta; Matthew McRae, Jr., McRae; Thomas William Monahan, III, Albany; William Brown Nipper, Jr., Greensboro; James Levert Orrington, Macon; David Albert Owings, Augusta; Peter James Pappas, Augusta; Richard Tilden Provine, East Point; Stephen Watson Shiver, Adel; Samuel Keith Thomason, Commerce; Harold Warren Tripp, Omega; Thomas Dale Twilley, Warrenton; James Terrell Whittemore, Decatur.

Master of Science
(Biochemistry)

Roberta Devaney Morganstern, Augusta.

Master of Science
(Nursing)

Donna Mae Fair, Augusta; Omega Gunn, Milan; Brigitte Kibler Helzer, Peoria, Ill.; Naomi Katherine Higgins, Dayton, Tenn.; Beatrice Rollins Mackey, Waynesboro; Cynthia Jo Martin, Griffin.

Bachelor of Science
(Nursing)

Kay Beth Almond, Elberton; Jean Christie Anderson, Savannah; Betty Wright Arnold, Columbus; Kathryn Carlisle Ashley, Corbin, Ky.; Maria Martinetta Banks, LaGrange; Nancy Chalker Barnes, North Augusta, S. C.; Jane Ann Berendsen, Aiken, S. C.; Mary Ann Bowen, Decatur; Linda Anne Brantley, Marietta; Carol Brennan, Columbus; Gail Busbee Bridges, Cordele; Vivian JoAnn Smith Chappell, Dublin; Rita Marie Coleman, North Augusta, S. C.; Louise Jones Creveling, Columbus; Ellen Diane Darden, LaGrange; Era Elaine Darden, LaGrange; William Michael Davis, Waycross; Catherine Rey DeLong, Gainesville; Linda Gaynelle Dorraugh, Warner Robins; Pamela Marie Dotson, Savannah; Patricia Eubanks, Augusta; Joann Willis Faulk, Dublin; Cynthia Harper Gaskins, Orangeburg, S. C.; Gloria Juanita Giles, Mobile, Ala.; Aprile Melton Hardy, Augusta; Eunice Lee Harman, Warrenville, S. C.; Patti Lynn Hartsfield, Atlanta; Lisa Marie Haugan, Savannah; Willette Hendricks, Metter; Mary Jane Huff, Augusta; Patience Elizabeth Kenworthy, Atlanta; Patrice Durban LaMere, Aiken, S. C.; Beth Lewis Mosca, Decatur; Cheryl Ann Lumley, Macon; Karen Womble McBride, Savannah; Janie Sue McGuffey, Athens; Terri Lyn McLendon, Savannah; Margaret Sinclair Pou, East Point; Patricia Emery Rabon, Ringgold; Jean Rawlings Sumner, Sandersville; Mary Ann Walker, Decatur; Kay Hendrick Waters, Statesboro; Linda Diane Waters, Augusta; Sharon Sue Wilson, Alma; Patricia Ann Winkler, Augusta; Lisa Anne Wright, Lincolnton; Deborah Joan Young, Warner Robins; Virginia Susan Zachary, Douglasville.

Bachelor of Science
(Medical Record Administration)

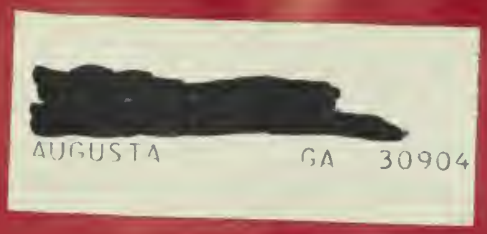
Carol Ann Johnson, Waubay, S. D.; Deidra Jinks Tabb, Jackson.

Bachelor of Science
(Medical Technology)

Benjamin Carson Barnard, Augusta; Angela Deaton Barnes, Augusta; Calvin James Billman, II, Augusta; Teresa Edge, Ashburn; Peggy Lee Glass, Locust Grove; Judy Dianne Hilliard, Rhine; Joan Teresa Jordon, Savannah.

Bachelor of Science
(Radiologic Technology)

Mary Patricia Hudkins, Salem, Ind.



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